

"JANE DOE" IS MRS. COUSE.

Charged in Justice Diver's Court with Shoplifting.

The Prisoner Is a Cousin of Mrs. Hugh McLaughlin of Brooklyn.

Mrs. Mary C. Couse, of Newton, N. H., is the woman who was arrested last Tuesday evening by one of Kline Bros' detectives, charged with shoplifting.

Mrs. Couse, who is middle-aged and of refined appearance, refused to disclose her identity at the time of her arrest because of her family.

That she is Mrs. Couse was proven this morning by the appearance of her husband, who arrived from Newton late last night. To an Evening World reporter Mrs. Couse said she did not the slightest doubt of this wife's innocence.

"We have been married for over thirty years," said Mr. Couse, who is a fine looking gentleman of sixty years, and his voice trembled as he spoke. "My wife was never arrested before. We have lived in Newton almost all our lives. I have been court clerk there for forty-five years. We have two children, a grown-up son and daughter."

Mrs. Couse says she is a cousin of Mrs. Hugh McLaughlin, wife of the famous politician, of Brooklyn. Among her efforts when arrested was found an invitation to attend the wedding of Miss McLaughlin and Mr. Carroll. She said she attended the wedding.

David McGonigle, a well-known expatriate, and his wife, Mr. McGonigle corroborated her statement regarding her relationship to Mrs. McLaughlin. Mrs. McGonigle spoke very highly of the prisoner, saying the latter was well known and respected by every one in Newton, where the family was a prominent one.

Since her arrest Mrs. Couse has been confined in the Jefferson Market Jail. She complained this morning that when arrested no facilities whatever were granted her to communicate with her friends. Mrs. Couse said she knew nothing of her wife's predicament until yesterday afternoon.

The case was called before Justice Diver at 10 o'clock. Detective McFadden, who arrested Mrs. Couse, testified that he did not himself see her take anything, but his attention was called to her by Kate Sheehan, a saleswoman, who said she saw Mrs. Couse steal a hairpin from her counter.

The detective followed Mrs. Couse into the street and then arrested her. She was taken to a private room and searched, and in addition to numerous other articles was found the pin, a piece of silk and some handkerchiefs, which the firm's employees claimed had been stolen.

Under cross-examination, McFadden's memory was not good. Miss Sheehan stood by and quietly prompted him until stopped by a court officer.

Miss Sheehan, a red-headed and black-eyed little woman, testified that she saw Mrs. Couse trying to conceal the pin, questioning by Justice Diver brought out the fact that the goods were all marked with plain figures, and on that and the appearance of the goods the firm relied for identification.

Mrs. Couse interrupted the witness several times with indignant exclamations of denial. Her husband spoke affectionately to her, telling her to "keep cool and all would come out right."

Mrs. Couse, who said she was fifty-two years old, denied everything. She said she bought the pin a few minutes before her arrest, and that she had had the silk for several years and intended exchanging it. Her husband testified to the silk being in the house before she came to New York this time.

In Mrs. Couse's possession, when arrested, were found a shawl and an evening pencil. The wig, Mrs. Couse said, was nothing more or less than a "switch," such as a great many ladies use, and the "evening pencil"

was a little pencil she had pulled off of a professional hairdresser.

Mr. and Mrs. McGonigle testified to the good character of Mrs. Couse. The general opinion was that the case so far made out by the accusers was not strong. Some witnesses mentioned were not present this morning, and Justice Diver adjourned the case until late this afternoon.

Mr. McGonigle furnished bail for the prisoner.

An Evening World reporter called at 101 Madison street, New York, this morning, and was told by the servant who answered his ring that Mr. Hugh McLaughlin was out of town and would not be back today. Mrs. McLaughlin, however, consented to see the reporter. She said, when asked if Mrs. Diver's case, of New York, was a cousin of Mr. McLaughlin.

"I don't know," said Mrs. McLaughlin, "but I have known Mrs. Couse for many years. I have been married to her for many years, and I will show you a picture of her."

Then she left the door.

LOCKED UP AN "L" GUARD.

Charged with Knocking Down and Kicking in a Man's Ribs.

Joseph Hallinger, a platform guard at the one hundred and twenty-ninth street station of the Third Avenue R. R., was locked up in a prison cell, to await the result of the injuries of two men whom he is accused of assaulting.

William J. Goff, of 533 East Eighty-third street, fell asleep on a train early this morning, and was carried through to one hundred and twenty-ninth street. There he became involved in a quarrel with Hallinger, and the pair came to blows. John H. White, of 2145 Fifth Avenue, attempted to separate the men, when it is alleged, Hallinger knocked him down and broke three of his ribs with kicks. Mr. White managed to get to the sidewalk, where he called for help. After he was taken to the hospital, Hallinger was taken to the station and locked up in a cell.

A JUDGE CALLS NAMES.

And Comes Off the Bench with Intent to Do Some Slugging.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

TERRE HAVEN, Ind., May 5.—There was an exciting incident in the circuit court room yesterday.

The court had not been convened when Judge Taylor spoke to ex-Judge Mack in regard to some remark the latter is said to have made regarding the action of Judge Taylor in appointing two members of the new grand jury which is to investigate the city contract scandal.

Judge Mack said he was an innocent of proceeding. Judge Taylor became much enraged, called Judge Mack an offensive name, and started toward him, when bystanders caught hold of him and succeeded in quieting him.

Judge Taylor is the judge who was recently sat down on by the Supreme court for sending the editors of the *Express* to jail for contempt of court.

FIRE PANIC IN A HOTEL.

Guests at Asbury Park Driven from Their Beds by Flames.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., May 5.—A fire broke out in the laundry in the north wing of the Grand Asbury Hotel at 5 o'clock this morning. A panic occurred among the guests, all of whom were asleep when the flames were discovered. They escaped from their rooms in their night clothing and dressed in the parlor and dining room.

The laundry was destroyed and the kitchen was badly damaged. The firemen tore down a part of the wing, and saved the hotel. The loss will not exceed \$25,000, insured.

HALLINGER TO HANG JUNE 2.

Jersey City's Colored Murderer Resentenced.

The Report that He Would Be Executed To-Day Was Unfounded.

For the third time since his conviction for the murder of Edward W. Hallinger, who killed his negro wife, Mary Peterson, at 317 Third street, Jersey City, in April, 1891, was sentenced to death this morning by Judge Werts in the Hudson County court of oyer and terminer.

The date of the execution was fixed for June 2 next, between the doors of the court in the morning and a clock in the afternoon. Hallinger was taken from the city jail to the courthouse at 10 o'clock this forenoon in company with Edward Davis, a colored jockey, under conviction of murder in the second degree. The defendant of the United States Supreme court, rendered Tuesday, denouncing the appeal of lawyer Fishall, Hallinger's counsel, convinced District Attorney Whitely that it was advisable to have sentence again pronounced on the prisoner before any further legal technicalities could be raised for the purpose of delaying the execution.

When the court opened there was a large crowd of lawyers on hand, attracted by an erroneous report that Hallinger's sentence and execution would take place today. Hallinger was dressed in the same black suit that he has worn since his arrest. He returned the gaze of the spectators with expansive smiles.

Judge Werts first imposed a sentence of fifteen years imprisonment on Davis.

Lawyer Fishall was absent, and Hallinger smilingly declared when called upon that he had nothing to say why sentence should not be pronounced against him.

Hallinger continued to smile and uttered a sort of surprised laugh when he heard for the third time that he would be hanged by the neck until dead. Hallinger and Davis were then taken back to the jail. Hallinger declined to discuss his case when asked by one of the keepers of the jail if he would see reporters.

Lawyer Fishall could not be found in Jersey City this morning. District Attorney Whitely said he knew of no possible way by which Hallinger's execution could be further delayed.

Fishall is reported to have said last night that he intended to serve on District Attorney Whitely notice to reopen the appeal which was dismissed by the United States Supreme court. Up to noon today no such notice had been filed.

TOM GREEN KNOCKED OUT.

Jim Duffy's Blow in the Neck Settled Him in the Second Round.

(SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.)

NEWARK, Conn., May 5.—James Duffy, of Chicago, and Tom Green, of New York, fought at a resort a few miles north of Stamford this morning for \$300 a side and \$200 a win money.

In the second round Green was struck in the neck and dropped to the ring, and Duffy got the fight. A number of New Yorkers were present.

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HUNDREDS ARE VIEWING IT.

A Relic of St. Ann Now in St. Jean Baptiste's Church.

Obtained for a Canadian Church by Pope Leo XIII.

Hundreds of people this morning thronged the Father Terreau's French church of St. Jean Baptiste, 153 East Seventy-sixth street, to view a relic said to be a fragment of the arm of St. Ann, the mother of the Virgin Mary.

The relic was brought here last Sunday by night Mr. Marquis from the Benedictine monastery of St. Paul outside the walls of Rome, and is intended for the church of St. Anne de Beauport, on the St. Lawrence river, for which it was obtained from Pope Leo XIII.

Mr. Marquis is French and an apostle of Quebec and is one of the most distinguished prelates of Canada. He is stopping while in New York at the residence of Rev. Father Terreau, 1081 Lexington avenue.

He is a very affable man and patriarchal in appearance. An Evening World reporter spoke with him this morning concerning the relic, and asked him if there any doubt of the genuineness of the bone.

"No," he replied, "there can be none. It is well attested by numerous authentic documents of Popes from the earliest ages of the church. And as a proof of the genuineness of the fragment which I have brought from Rome, the Benedictine Abbot of St. Paul's has furnished me with a certificate under his own hand and seal."

"I cannot say whether any miraculous cures have been performed since the relic was exposed in Father Terreau's church, but in the church of St. Anne de Beauport, a day passes but a miraculous cure is effected. At present they have at that church only a very small particle of bone taken from a finger of St. Ann."

Mrs. O'Reilly, who was a classmate of Mr. Marquis sixty years ago in Montreal, said to an Evening World reporter:

"While I believe in the genuineness of St. Ann's bone is by no means an article of faith. The documents attesting its genuineness are numerous, and are themselves very authentic. That we might with almost as much reason doubt that Washington is buried at Mount Vernon as doubt that this is a fragment of St. Ann's arm. The body of St. Ann is preserved in April, her head at Avrel and one of her hands at Carcassonne."

The relic, which will be shown at Father Terreau's little church until next Monday, when Marquis departs for Canada, is cut from the wrist and is about three inches long and tapers from a diameter of more than an inch down to an eighth of an inch. It is encased in a gold oval-shaped receptacle, the lid of which is crystal. Upon a narrow strip which rests the bone to the bottom of the box is this inscription in Latin:

"From the arm of St. Ann the mother of the blessed Virgin Mary."

The relic will adhere to the bone, but have porous, giving the relic a frayed appearance like old sackcloth. Father Terreau, when asked about the appearance of the relic, said:

"That is an account of exposure, for although the Benedictines have guarded the relic with even more jealousy than the crown jewels of England and are guarded in the Tower, they have had frequent occasion to expose it to the atmosphere in order to cut off small fragments."

On Sunday Mr. O'Reilly will preach a French sermon at the 11 o'clock high mass at St. Jean Baptiste's, where the relic will be exposed all that day, and at 7:30 p. m. the same prelate will preach in English during vespers. The relic will in the mean time be exposed only from 10 to 11 in the morning.

THE BRITISH LION GROWS.

Cockran's Ship Register Bill Excites Its Displeasure.

Englishmen Fear It Will Lose Them Some Ocean Greyhounds.

Despatches from London today indicate that there is a very bitter feeling in England over the passage by the House of Representatives of the bill introduced by Congressman Boone Cockran, and authorizing the granting of American licenses to foreign built ocean steamships engaged in the European freight and passenger trade, where at least 90 per cent of the shares in the foreign corporation to which they belong is owned by American citizens.

By the provisions of this bill it is only to apply to steamships having a tonnage of 2,000 tons and capable of a speed of at least twenty knots an hour, and only in case the American owners shall subsequent to the passage of the act build or contract to build in American shipyards steamships of an equal tonnage and speed to those which come within the provisions of the bill.

The only steamships which can thus be regarded as American vessels, in case the Cockran bill becomes a law as it stands, are the famous steamships City of Paris and City of New York.

British statesmen, it is reported, view with alarm this proposed new departure on the part of American capitalists, and Lord Bury and Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, of the British Board of Trade, have expressed the opinion that it is a daring move and may result in serious international complications.

Both of the steamships in question now fly the British flag and are enrolled in the British Naval Reserve for use as armed cruisers in the event of war. Should they become Americanized and sail under the flag of the United States, as the new bill proposes, a very curious anomaly would occur and the question would arise in case of a war in which either Government was involved, of which flag they should sail under.

The bill is also regarded in Great Britain as a bold attempt on the part of American capitalists to obtain control of the ocean carrying trade, and as the entering wedge in the fight for this traffic. English statesmen say that if these vessels are permitted to fly the American flag, other steamship-owners may be induced to apply for the same privilege, and that in any event, it is a very curious action on the part of a friendly nation.

The Englishmen are very jealous of their pre-eminence in shipping and do not like to see a foreign power attempting to get it away from them.

Because the City of Paris and City of New York become American vessels they would have to be manned and officered by American sailors, whereas at the present time the crews consist of both ships are exclusively Englishmen.

KNOCKED ONE OFFICER OUT.

But Another Arrested Bernard Hudson for Wife-Beating.

Policeman Michael Hartigan, of the Fourth District court squad, while trying to arrest Bernard Hudson, of 221 East Twenty-first street, charged with wife-beating, was assaulted by Hudson this morning and severely injured.

Hudson was arrested by another policeman and Hartigan was taken home. Additional charges of resisting arrest and striking an officer were preferred against Hudson.



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BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.
ST. JOSEPH, Mo., May 5.—The famous trotter, Allerton, will trot on the St. Joseph track Sept. 15 for a purse of \$10,000, his owner, C. W. Williams, having made the entry. Nelson, Axtell and Deimach will also compete for the purse.

STABBED 115 TIMES.
The Awful Fate of the Murdered Chicago Woman.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.
CHICAGO, May 5.—At the inquest on Mrs. Bridge Elizabeth Walsh, murdered and mangled by her nephew, Thomas Walsh, whose insults she had resented, Dr. Ludwig Hektoen testified that Mrs. Walsh died from shock and hemorrhage following one hundred and fifteen incisive lacerated and stab wounds, the fracture of fourteen ribs, the tearing of the intestines in several places and of the diaphragm and the liver, the puncture in two places of each lung and in one place of the heart. Any one of twenty of the 115 wounds would have proven fatal.

The murderer was about to make a statement when his brothers prevented him. They claim that he is "muddle-headed."

Anderson Hanged Himself.
John Anderson, a blacksmith, who lived at 726 Ocean avenue, Greenville, a suburb of Jersey City, committed suicide early this morning by hanging himself. He was thirty-eight years old and had a family in Denmark.

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